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FINANCING OF THE UNITED NATIONS OBSERVER MISSION IN GEORGIA

Report of the Fifth Committee

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I. INTRODUCTION

1. At its 3rd plenary meeting, on 22 September 1995, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its fiftieth session the item entitled "Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia" and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

2. The Committee considered the item at its 41st meeting, on 17 December 1995. Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of the item are reflected in the relevant summary record (A/C.5/50/SR.41).

3. For its consideration of the item, the Committee had before it the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia (A/50/731) and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/50/802).

II. CONSIDERATION OF A DRAFT DECISION SUBMITTED ORALLY BY THE CHAIRMAN

4. At the 41st meeting, on 17 December, the Chairman submitted orally a draft decision entitled "Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia", which was amended by the representative of the Netherlands.

5. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted the draft decision (see para. 6).

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III. RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

6. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia

The General Assembly, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia 1/ and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 2/

(a) Decides that, for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their future apportionment, their respective share in the unencumbered balance of 1,966,500 United States dollars gross (1,858,600 dollars net), for the period from 14 January to 15 May 1995;

(b) Decides also that, for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, their share of the unencumbered balance of 1,966,500 dollars gross (1,858,600 dollars net) for the period from 14 January to 15 May 1995 shall be set off against their outstanding obligations.

1/ A/50/731.

2/ A/50/802.